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Please find a Response transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated May 11, 2006 for which a response period expiring on August 11, 2006 was set. The extended period expires on November 13, 2006 (November 11, 2006 falls on a Saturday).

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